

REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 5-12, 15, and 21 remain in the application with claim 1 having been amended hereby.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested of the rejection of claims 1-3 and 5-11 under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite.

Claim 1 has been amended hereby to correct the editorial error therein, as noted by the Examiner.

Accordingly, in view of the amendment made to claim 1, it is respectfully submitted that the claims are clear and definite in their recitation of the present invention and meet all the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 112.

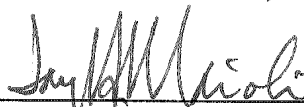
Reconsideration is respectfully requested of the rejection of claims 1 and 12 under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting, as being unpatentable over claims 14 and 19 of U.S. Patent 7,193,903.

Submitted herewith is a Terminal Disclaimer, terminally disclaiming the term of any patent granted on the instant application that would extend beyond the term of U.S. Patent, 7,193,903. Also submitted is the fee for the Terminal Disclaimer as set by 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d).

Therefore, by reason of the amendments made to the claims hereby, as well as the submission of the Terminal Disclaimer and the allowance of claim 21, it is respectfully submitted that all claims remaining in this application are now in condition for allowance.

Favorable reconsideration is earnestly solicited.

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